



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of Smits, *et al.*) Date: 24 March 2006
Application No.: 09/479,548) Group Art Unit: 2644
Filed: January 7, 2000) Examiner: Faulk, Devona E
For: Hearing Evaluation Device with) Attorney Ref. No.: 103.28
Noise Detection and Evaluation)
Capability)

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Response to Office Action

Commissioner for Patents
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The Applicant respectfully responds to the office action issued on November 28, 2005 with the following remarks and amendments. Applicant requests consideration of the application and claims in view of the current amendments attached hereto and the following remarks, which address all of the Examiner's objections and rejections.